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Dear Legislative Council members and staff,

Thanks for all your work in drafting the blue book for voters and providing opportunities for the public to engage in the process.

I am writing to ask a question to hopefully clarify part of this summary for Prop. 117. On page 2, lines 24 to 25, it says that "If an existing enterprise loses and then regains its status as a state government enterprise, it may require a vote under this measure."

Is this the only instance in which an enterprise that has existed for longer than 5 years, and has otherwise met the revenue threshold, could be subject to voter approval under Prop. 117?

If so, it might be clearer to change the explanation to something like "An existing enterprise could only be subject to a vote under this measure if it loses and then regains its status as a state government enterprise."

Elaborating on the current process for how it's determined that an enterprise has lost or regained its status could be helpful background as well.

Thanks for your consideration,